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Application of: **HENITS, J.**

Application No.: **09/324,459**

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For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
MULTI-STAGE DATA LOGGING**

Group Art Unit: **2642**

Examiner: **TIEU, B.**

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action mailed December 18, 2001, please consider the following election and remarks.

REMARKS

Claims 1-64 are pending in this application. The Examiner has required an election under 35 U.S.C. § 121 of one of the following inventions:

- I. Claims 1-28 and 35-55, drawn to a data logging system, classified in Class 709, subclass 220.
- II. Claims 29-31 and 56-64, drawn to a method for accessing information in a digital logging system, classified in Class 709, subclass 203.

Applicant hereby elects the invention of Group I, claims 1-28 and 35-55 drawn to a data logging system, but expressly reserves the right to file one or more divisional or continuation applications directed to the subject matter of the non-elected group of claims and other subject matter disclosed in the application.